

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

In re Application of: Frederik Bijerk, et al.

Serial No.: 10/706,826

Filed: 11/12/2003

For: **MULTILAYER SYSTEM WITH PROTECTING LAYER SYSTEM AND PRODUCTION METHOD**

Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.☒ No additional fee is required.

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Multiple Dep. Claim					+ \$ 180			+ \$ 360	\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEES					TOTAL \$		or		TOTAL \$ 0.00

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Sir:

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

The Examiner states that restriction to one of the following groups of inventions is required under 35 U.S.C. §121:

- I. Claims 1-4, drawn to a multilayer structure.
- II. Claims 5-28, drawn to method of making a multilayer structure.

Applicants hereby elect claims 1-4, drawn to a multilayer structure. Accompanying this response is a Preliminary Amendment canceling claims 5-28, as the same are not elected. Applicant reserves the right to pursue the non-elected claims in a continuation application. With this Amendment, new claims 29-33 are herewith submitted, also drawn to the elected group of invention, namely a multilayer system for the extreme ultraviolet wavelength range.

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